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For: METHOD FOR PRODUCING POLYPYRIDINIUM

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**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION OF PATENT**  
**FOR PTO MISTAKE (37 C.F.R. section 1.322(a))**

Commissioner for Patents

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ATTENTION: Decision and Certificate of Correction  
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Sir:

Please find attached a Certificate of Correction, Form PTO/SB/44, in connection with the above-captioned U.S. Patent No. 7,985,829.

The correction is to the formula in claims 2, 9, 10, 18 and 19. The formula:

R"(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>n</sub>—

should be corrected to read

R"(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>n</sub>—

so that the dash appears as regular text and not as subscript text. The dash is presented in regular text at Column 4, lines 8-9. Thus the correction requested is believed to be merely formal in nature.

Also, the correction is to the dependency of claim 10. "The polypyridinium of claim 8" should be corrected to read "The polypyridinium of claim 9". This correction is also believed to be merely formal in nature.

One of the errors was made inadvertently by the Applicant because it was not correctly recited in the application as filed. Therefore, payment of the fee in the amount of **\$100.00** in connection with filing this Certificate of Correction will be made by credit card.

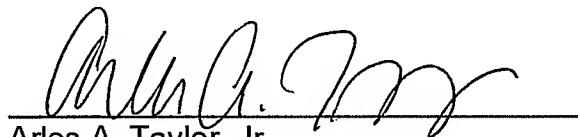
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Respectfully submitted,

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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Claim 2, Formula  
 replace "R"(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>n</sub>,"  
 with --R"(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>n</sub>--,

Claim 9, Formula  
 replace "R"(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>n</sub>,"  
 with --R"(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>n</sub>--,

Claim 10, Formula  
 replace "R"(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>n</sub>,"  
 with --R"(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>n</sub>--,

Claim 18, Formula  
 replace "R"(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>n</sub>,"  
 with --R"(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>n</sub>--,

Claim 19, Formula  
 replace "R"(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>n</sub>,"  
 with --R"(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>n</sub>--,

Claim 10, Dependency  
 replace "The polypyridinium of claim 8"  
 with --The polypyridinium of claim 9--

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